

A New Question.

To the Editors of the Dispatch:

There is no reason why I should add any more on the subject of night and morning. As your correspondent "S." warned you of "miles" and "floods" on the question, and made good his warning by two premonitory miles or showers, it is well, that I should not break the ice by adding more. But I see in a abundance of politics and news as will probably afford your attention to these matters. I dismiss the subject by saying that your courteous reply is both ingenious and ingenious, and reduces the difference to a solecism in our usage, or a solecism in our language. I concede that night is in our language, but cannot consent that it bears with it after midnight the name of the next day. You agree that the time after midnight is morning in respect to the letter, but still claim that it is the night of the former. Probably the confusion is due primarily to a departure in our reverse ancestors and their posterity from the ordinance of creation. "The evening and the morning were the first day"; for it is manifest that all violations of the several ordinances then established have brought upon the human race manifold evils. Witness the countless queues of rejecting the simple statutes, and their posterity, including the Sabbath, and Ecclesiastical polity.

But I wish to introduce for your consideration a criticism on the teachings of the Dispatch in regard to another affair of times and seasons, concerning which I have frequently noticed in which occurs the tendency to regret and surprise because the matter is important and the deviation palpable. With a high appreciation of the Dispatch as a heathen heretic on the subject of lunar influences—the proof whereof lies in the fact that orthodox who by day and by night do your duty—I have nevertheless requested it as in general a judicious guide in grammar, literature, politics, and the origin of man; and as not unreasonable on night and morning. You may imagine, therefore, the feelings with which you are reading this, and as unsound subject, and as unsound subject. According to the almanacs of Virginia, during this and all the months when the days are lengthening, the sun rises by the clock many minutes earlier as the minutes of the day—just now it rises at 6:40, 6:41, 6:42, 6:43, 6:44, 6:45, 6:46, 6:47, 6:48, 6:49, 6:50, 6:51, 6:52, 6:53, 6:54, 6:55, 6:56, 6:57, 6:58, 6:59, 7:00, 7:01, 7:02, 7:03, 7:04, 7:05, 7:06, 7:07, 7:08, 7:09, 7:10, 7:11, 7:12, 7:13, 7:14, 7:15, 7:16, 7:17, 7:18, 7:19, 7:20, 7:21, 7:22, 7:23, 7:24, 7:25, 7:26, 7:27, 7:28, 7:29, 7:30, 7:31, 7:32, 7:33, 7:34, 7:35, 7:36, 7:37, 7:38, 7:39, 7:40, 7:41, 7:42, 7:43, 7:44, 7:45, 7:46, 7:47, 7:48, 7:49, 7:50, 7:51, 7:52, 7:53, 7:54, 7:55, 7:56, 7:57, 7:58, 7:59, 8:00, 8:01, 8:02, 8:03, 8:04, 8:05, 8:06, 8:07, 8:08, 8:09, 8:10, 8:11, 8:12, 8:13, 8:14, 8:15, 8:16, 8:17, 8:18, 8:19, 8:20, 8:21, 8:22, 8:23, 8:24, 8:25, 8:26, 8:27, 8:28, 8:29, 8:30, 8:31, 8:32, 8:33, 8:34, 8:35, 8:36, 8:37, 8:38, 8:39, 8:40, 8:41, 8:42, 8:43, 8:44, 8:45, 8:46, 8:47, 8:48, 8:49, 8:50, 8:51, 8:52, 8:53, 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